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October 03, 2024

Nathan Ochsner, Clerk

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS
HOUSTON DIVISION**

**WHITNEY EZENWA, Individually
and on Behalf of All Others Similarly
Situating
Plaintiff,**

v.

**SILVER RAIN, LLC d/b/a AREA 29
HOUSTON
Defendant.**

§ **CIVIL ACTION NO.**
§ **4:24-cv-2650**

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§ **JUDGE ALFRED H. BENNETT**

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**PROPOSED
SCHEDULING ORDER**

1. 3/3/2025

**AMENDMENTS TO PLEADINGS AND
ADDITION OF NEW PARTIES**

Party requesting joinder will furnish a copy of this
Scheduling order to new parties.

2a. 8/4/2025

EXPERTS

Plaintiff, or party with the burden of proof, will
designate expert witnesses in writing, listing the
qualifications of each expert, the opinions the expert
will present, and the bases for the opinions as required
under Federal Rules of Civil Procedure 26(A)(A).

2b. 9/3/2025

Defendant, or party without the burden of proof, will
designate expert witnesses in writing, listing the
qualifications of each expert, the opinions the expert
will present, and the bases for the opinions as required
under Federal Rules of Civil Procedure 26(A)(A).

3. 11/3/2025

DISCOVERY

Counsel may, by agreement continue discovery beyond
the deadline. No continuance will be granted because of
information acquired in post-discovery deadline.

4. 12/3/2025

MOTIONS DEADLINE

Including any motion challenging an expert witness (only motions in limine on issues other than experts may be filed after this date). The motion deadline may not be changed by agreement.

5a. 03/06/2026

JOINT PRETRIAL ORDER

THE DEFENDANT shall supply the Plaintiff with a final version of its pretrial order by this date. (Where available, Defendant should supply Plaintiff with an electronic copy.)

5b. 03/20/2026

THE PLAINTIFF is responsible filing the pretrial order on this date. All Motions in Limine must also be filed by this date

6. 04/03/2026

DOCKET CALL is set at 1:30 p.m. in Courtroom 9A.

7. 04/06/2026

TRIAL is set at 9:00 a.m. in Courtroom 9A.

Case is subject to being called to trial on short notice during the two week period beginning on this date.

The Clerk shall enter this Order and provide a copy to all parties.

Signed on October 3, 2024, at Houston, Texas.



United States Magistrate Judge
Richard W. Bennett